

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 00-658-A)

PATENT

In re Application of: Shutter et al.)
Serial No.: 09/995,542) Before the Examiner: N.S. Basi
Filed: November 28, 2001) Group Art Unit: 1646
For: ATP-Binding Cassette Transporter-) Confirmation No: 9323
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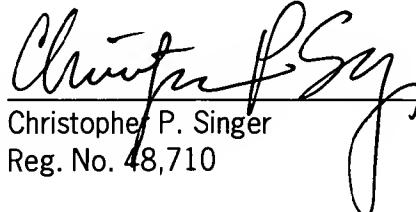
Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached papers for the above-described patent application: Petition for Extension of Time & Fee (2 months), Amendment and Response to Office Action, and Return postcard.
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